

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 15.

"CONFEDERATE AUTHORITIES."—In the Washington Court on Saturday, "Morehead vs. Boyle." Justice Wylie delivered the opinion of the court, in substance as follows:

"This is an action brought by Eliza Morehead against Cornelius Boyle for an arrest of her for passing through the rebel lines in Virginia. The arrest is not denied, but Dr. Boyle puts in the plea that at the time he was pro- voked to arrest her by her conduct in the rebel service and the supervision of that part of Virginia; and that he acted under the orders of General Beauregard, and that the Supreme Court has decided that acts done bona fide under a government de facto cannot subject an official thereunder to an action. We have come to the conclusion to sustain the demurrer. It is true the Supreme Court of the United States has decided that the acts of the rebel authorities will be considered binding so far as they were necessary for the preservation of the good of society. Whether the courts were properly authorized or not is not the question. These decisions are binding, because necessary, and are so considered by the international law.

We do not think it was necessary for the preservation of good order that Dr. Boyle should arrest Mrs. Morehead and detain her for three years. We certainly do not think that the fact that a trespasser was a rebel official and committed the trespass in the rebel service is a good plea in bar to a trespass for which he would have been liable if he had not been in rebellion. We therefore sustain the demurrer."

WASHINGTON ITEMS.—There are now half a dozen restaurateurs claiming the honor of having resumed specie payments.

It is said that the landlords of the city intend to reduce rents after April 1st, on some houses.

Three juvenile Chinamen are here to be educated in Howard University, among the colored students.

The excitement concerning the proposed territorial form of government for the District of Columbia still runs high.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

MASONIC.

Mount Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, meets first Monday in each month, at their hall in the Market House Building.

Alexandria Washington Lodge, No. 22, A. F. & A. M., meets second and fourth Thursdays in each month, at their hall in the Market House Building.

Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120, A. F. & A. M., meets first and third Thursdays in each month, at their hall, on Columbia street, between King and Prince.

ODD FELLOWS.

Marley Encampment, No. 6, meets second and fourth Monday in each month, at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Columbus street.

Potomac Lodge, No. 38, meets every Friday night, at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Columbus street.

Sarapia Lodge, No. 46, meets every Tuesday night, at Phoenix Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Mechanics' Lodge, No. 3, meets every Monday night, at their hall, in German's building.

Oriental Lodge, No. 6, meets every Tuesday night, at their hall, in the Assembly Rooms Building.

BROTHERHOOD OF THE UNION.

Mount Vernon Circle, No. 1, meets every Saturday night, in Phoenix Hall.

Jefferson Circle, No. 2, meets every Wednesday night, at their hall, in Muir's Building.

RED MEN.

Oceola Tribe, No. 1, meets every Thursday night, at Phoenix Hall.

RECHABITES.

Virginia Tent, No. 5, meets every Monday night, at Phoenix Hall.

George Washington Tent, No. 25, meets every Thursday night, in their tent, in German's new building, King street.

CATHOLIC SOCIETIES.

Society of St. Vincent of Paul, Conference of St. Mary, meets at St. Mary's Hall every Sunday afternoon, at 2 p. m. Richard L. Carne, President; Richard M. Latham, Secretary.

Alexandria Catholic Beneficial Society meets at St. Mary's Hall every Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. Richard M. Latham, President; Michael B. Harlow, Jr., Secretary.

SEEDS!

500 bushels CHOICE CLOVER, selected with care.

200 bushels CHOICE TIMOTHY.

200 bushels ORCHARD GRASS.

100 bushels RED TOP or HERDS GRASS.

50 bushels KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS.

Millet and Hungarian Grass, Oats, Orange Seed Corn, Seed Oats, Seed Potatoes, White Clover, Lawn Grass, &c., &c.

LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS just arrived.

Call and get the Rural Register and Almanac for 1870.

IN ADDITION

I have in stock a large, varied and complete assortment of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS and MACHINERY; all kinds of Farming and Gardening Tools; all kinds of Grain, Grass and Garden Seeds; all valuable and approved FERTILIZERS.

My catalogue and price list mailed on application.

HERBERT BRYANT.

25 King st., bet. Water and Union, Alexandria, Virginia.

DIRECT IMPORTATION.

LIVERPOOL SALT.

We offer for sale, to arrive, cargo of ship "Hermione," consisting of

15,000 bushels LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT, in bulk.

1,000 sacks FINE SALT, factory filled, "Runcorn" brand, equal to Marshall's. Also per bag "Three Sisters."

9,000 bushels LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT, in bulk.

1,000 sacks FINE SALT of the popular brand "Stored."

We will fill this salt 10 or 12 to the ton, as parties may desire, or sell in bulk at lowest market rates from vessel.

HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

WE HAVE ALSO NOW IN STORE A full supply of LIVERPOOL G. A. SALT.

EVANS' FINE SALT.

TURKISH LIME SALT—for sale at lowest market rates.

HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

BAKERS IN OLD GOODS.

We have a large lot of old fashioned Embroidered Muslin Collars, elegant French work; Muslin Bands, Black and White Lace Capes, Second Mourning Collars, Inside Handkerchiefs or Chemise-ties, Undersleeves, Grenadine and Lace Veils.

Also, Plaid Silks; several patterns of Black Silk, as they are. We have marked the price of all these goods down, so that they must go. Please ask for them as we have put them out of our regular stock in a room up stairs.

Our stock of WINTER GOODS is still large, and must be sold. Purchasers are invited to examine our prices, as we are offering great inducements.

OUR NEW GOODS.—Received this day a full lot of other grades of French and American Shawls and Shirts, Heavy Brown Sheet and Shirts, Tickings, Striped Shirts, Cambrics, Gingham, with a full assortment of fashionable Dry Goods.

WHITE BEANS.—

25 bushels New York White Beans just received and for sale by

THOMAS PERRY.

15 King street.

RAILROAD LINES.

ORANGE, ALEXANDRIA AND MANASSAS RAILROAD.

On and after Wednesday, Feb. 23, 1870, one daily passenger train will run between WASHINGTON and LYNCHBURG, connecting at Gordonsville, with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to Richmond, Covington and the Virginia Springs; at Lynchburg for the West and Southwest, and at Washington to the North and Northwest.

Leave Washington daily at 6:55 a. m., and Alexandria 8:00 a. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 5:05 p. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 8:25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 5:25 p. m., and at Washington at 6:15 p. m.

Also daily, including Sunday, a passenger train between WASHINGTON and RICHMOND—making close connections at Richmond and Washington in the direct line between New York and the South Atlantic States.

Leave Washington at 6:55 p. m., and Alexandria at 7:25 p. m.; arrive at Gordonsville at 11:40 p. m., and at Richmond at 3:20 a. m., connecting with train leaving Richmond at 3:50 a. m. for Petersburg, Weldon and the Southwest.

Leave Richmond at 8:30 p. m., and Gordonsville at 12:45 a. m.; arrive at Alexandria at 5:05 a. m., and at Washington at 5:55 a. m., connecting with earliest trains to New York and Northwest.

Passengers for MANASSAS BRANCH will leave Alexandria daily, excepting Sunday, at 8:00 a. m., arrive at Harrisonburg at 4:20 p. m. Leave Harrisonburg at 9:10 a. m., and connecting at Manassas Junction with northernbound train on main line, arriving at Alexandria at 3:30 p. m. and at Washington at 5:05 a. m., connecting with earliest trains to New York and Northwest.

Through tickets and baggage checked to all prominent points.

J. M. BROADUS, General Ticket Agent.

WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND GEORGETOWN R. R.

NEW TIME TABLE—NIGHT TRAIN FOR RICHMOND.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS CHANGING AT NEW YORK, N. Y. C. H. B. R. On and after MONDAY, February 7th, 1870, and until further notice, through and local passenger trains will run between Washington and Alexandria, as follows:

Through Day Trains, Sundays included. Leave Washington, Southern bound, Maryland Avenue Depot, at 7:10 a. m. Leave Alexandria, Northern bound, corner Duke and Henry streets, at 6:35 p. m.

Through Night Trains, leave Washington, Southern bound, Maryland Avenue Depot, at 8:30 p. m. Leave Alexandria, Northern bound, corner Duke and Henry streets, at 4:50 a. m.

LOCAL PASSENGER TRAINS between Washington and Alexandria (Sundays excepted). Leave Washington, Maryland Avenue Depot, at 7:15, 8:10 and 11 a. m., and 1, 2, 3 and 6 p. m., and (Sundays included) at 7:20 p. m.

Leave Alexandria, corner St. Asaph and King streets, at 6, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., and 1, 2, 3 and 4 p. m., and corner Duke and Henry streets, at 4 p. m.

O. A. STEVENS, Gen. Supt. W. J. PHELPS, Gen. Manager.

ALEXANDRIA, LOUDOUN & HAMPSHIRE RAILROAD.

On and after December 25th, 1869, the trains on this road will be run as follows:

The mail train will leave Alexandria daily, except Sunday, at 8:30 a. m.; arrive at Leesburg at 11:10 a. m., and Hamilton at 11:40 a. m. Leave Hamilton at 12:20 p. m., and Leesburg at 12:50 p. m. Arrive at Alexandria at 3:30 p. m.

The accommodation train will leave Alexandria daily except Sunday, at 4 p. m., and arrive at Leesburg at 6:30 p. m. Leave Leesburg at 7:15 a. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 9:45 a. m. The 8:30 a. m. train from Alexandria and 12:20 p. m. train from Hamilton, connect at Hamilton with Kempt's Daily Line of Coaches for Purcellville, Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also, with Keamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Hamilton daily for Balls Bluff, Aldie and Middleburg.

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THE RICHMOND, FREDERICKSBURG AND POTOMAC RAILROAD.

The Old Favorite Mail Route via Aquia Creek. The Shortest and Best Route to Richmond and the South.

Fast and comfortable STEAMERS leave Washington City twice weekly, Sunday excepted, at 7:15 a. m., stopping at Alexandria each way, and connecting at Aquia Creek with the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac R. R., with elegant coaches, supplied with elegant sleeping chairs on all its trains. Through tickets and baggage checks to all points South.

Both boats stop at Alexandria going and returning.

J. B. GRANT, Gen. Ticket Agent.

Richmond, Va.

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RASIL BRAWNER F. L. BROCKETT, WM. A. CAYE, BRAWNER & CO.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

No. 10 North Fairfax street, (west side) between King st., and the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia.

Sales of lands in the States of Virginia and Maryland, and houses and lots in the city of Alexandria receive our special attention.

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NEW DOMESTICS.

Received this 14th day of February, a full assortment of BLEACHED COTTONS, 4-4, 5-4 and 10-4. UNBLEACHED, 4-4, 5-4, 10-4. CLOTHS, new styles. WHITE and GRAY BLANKETS, cheap. Do not forget that we are offering special inducements in imported goods of all kinds.

feb 14 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

JAPAN SWITCHES!

Superior to any before offered.

Largest size, best, 40 cents.

Medium size, best, 30 cents.

These Braids are of the best quality manufactured and have just been received.

CHAS. W. GREEN, 68 King street.

CRAB ORCHARD SALTS.

The great demand for the above Salts has induced us to purchase a full supply, direct from Kentucky. They are recommended as a substitute for cathartic pills, epsom salts, seltitz powders, &c. For sale by

mar 5 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

"HIGHLANDER" SMOKING TOBACCO—CO—the best brand on the market; Revenue Cutter Smoking Tobacco; B. V. Graveley, Star of Henry, (manufactured by Graveley), Minnie Warren and Navy Cheving Tobacco, in store and for sale by

mar 1 G. W. RAMSAY, 147 King street.

CAMBRIC EDGINGS and INSERTINGS; HOSIERY.

CHIGNONS, and JAPAN SWITCHES. Spool Cotton of several makes, very cheap, at

mar 2 Mrs. C. L. SIMPSON'S, No. 125 King st.

FOR SALE—I have for sale, at my store, on Cannon's wharf, TWO ALL-BLACK BOATS, TWO NETS; also, one ARK. Any one wishing to purchase can call on the subscriber, at his store.

mh 3-1w J. T. STONE.

FOR RENT—

THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 43 north Pitt street, between Cameron and Queen. It contains eight rooms, and is supplied with water and gas. Apply

mh 5-603 WILLIAM GREGORY.

CARBOLIC LIME is highly recommended for the cure of Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scurvy, Kingworm, Tetters, and all Skin Diseases. A full supply just received and for sale by

mar 5 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

IMPERIAL DOUBLE-WHARP ALPACA, with the decline in gold.

A full line of them just received at

mh 10-10 WITMER & SLAYMAKER 3.

STEAMBOATS.

POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE.

STEAMER EXPRESS, Capt. A. C. NICKLE, Will resume her route on Tuesday, March 1st, leaving pier No. 10, Light street wharf, Baltimore, EVERY TUESDAY, at 4 p. m. for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown, stopping at the following points on the Potomac river: Piney Point, Stone's Wharf, Coburn, Chaptice Wharf, Chapin Point, Mathias Point, Smith's Point, Nanjemo's Store and Pyle's Wharf.

Returning, will leave Sixth street wharf, Washington, EVERY SATURDAY, at 6 a. m., and King's wharf, Alexandria, at 7 a. m. For further information apply to

J. BRODERS & CO., 11 King street, Alexandria. A. NEEDHAM SONS, 142 Light street, Baltimore. J. G. WATERS, 105 Water street, Georgetown. T. M. CROACH, Sixth street, Washington.

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POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY'S STEAMERS.

CITY OF ALEXANDRIA and CITY OF WASHINGTON. Leave Alexandria and the schedule: Washington and Alexandria each hour during the day, beginning first trip at 7 a. m., and making last trip from either city at 6 p. m.

For further information apply to

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FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.

Immen Line of Mail Steamers, Sailing from New York Every Saturday, and Alternate Tuesdays.

RATES OF PASSAGE BY TUESDAY STEAMER: First Cabin, payable in gold—Liverpool or Queenstown, \$100; Second Cabin, \$50. Steerage, payable in currency—Liverpool or Queenstown, \$25.

PASSAGE BY THE TUESDAY STEAMER, VIA HALLIFAX. First Cabin, payable in gold—Liverpool or Queenstown, \$100; Halifax, \$20; St. John's, N. F., by branch steamer, \$30.

Steerage, payable in currency—Liverpool or Queenstown, \$20; Halifax, \$15; St. John's, N. F., by branch steamer, \$20.

Tickets sold to and from England, Ireland and the Continent at moderate rates.

For further information, apply at the Company's offices.

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NEW EXPRESS LINE

PHILADELPHIA, and ALEXANDRIA, GEORGETOWN and WASHINGTON. Steamers leave regularly from GEORGETOWN, foot of Congress st., EVERY WEDNESDAY, from ALEXANDRIA, foot of King st., EVERY THURSDAY.

This line connects with all the Northern, Eastern and Western Railroads and Transportation Companies, and will forward freight, by all the lines running out of Philadelphia, of commission, and gives THROUGH RATES.

M. ELDRIDGE & CO., No. 4 S. Wharves, Alexandria, Va. WILLIAM P. CLYDE & CO., No. 12 South Wharves, Philadelphia.

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MERCHANTS' LINE NEW YORK STEAMSHIPS.

The line consists of the following first class ocean steamers: E. C. KNIGHT, Capt. W. S. Johnson; JOHN GIBSON, Capt. W. H. Winters; and VALLEY CITY, Capt. Redell.

Will leave New York EVERY SATURDAY for this port, and returning will leave Alexandria EVERY THURSDAY, at 12 o'clock. For freight or passage apply to

HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO., Agents, No. 2 Prince st., Agents in New York.

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CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES.

Received this day by steamer from New York my first lot of Children's Carriages, which for beauty, strength and price are unsurpassed. They were purchased direct from the manufacturers, and will be sold for very liberal terms. Call and see them.

C. C. BERRY, 72 King st. Orders from the country promptly attended to.

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OFFICE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY.

Seventh Street Wharf, Washington, March 10th, 1870.

The steamer WAUWAT will make her regular trip to CONE RIVER and back, on Tuesday, March 14th, leaving Washington at 6 a. m., and Alexandria at 7 a. m.

On and after Tuesday next, she will make two trips a week, leaving every Tuesday and Friday morning.

mh 10-1w President Potomac Ferry Co.

J. F. LARKIN,

No. 210 Seventh street, [Between B street and Maryland Avenue,] Washington, D. C.

COMMISSION MERCHANT.

Respectfully solicits consignments, believing he can average 10 per cent more for consignors than he did in Alexandria.

Washington, Jan 31-4

THE ORIENTAL TONIC BITTERS, A sovereign remedy for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn and all complaints arising from a torpid state of the liver; also a most elegant and palatable tonic for all weak and debilitated states of the system, and as an appetizer it has no equal. In quart bottles at \$1 each. For sale wholesale and retail by

feb 5 JANNEY & CO., 145 King street.

GREEN KID GLOVES.

ALL NUMBERS.

Opened this morning at

mh 5 WITMER & SLAYMAKERS.

FINE SALT.

500 sacks Evans' Fine Salt daily expected per schr. Mary Comegys—for sale low from vessel by

feb 12 HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.

LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED.

A large supply of fresh GARDEN SEED from the above firm, which we are now prepared to sell wholesale and retail.

feb 12 COOK & CREIGHTON.

MATTING.

Just received 4-4 White Matting and 4-4 Checked do.

feb 19 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

SEA MOSS FARINA, for Blanc Mange, Puddings, Custards, etc., the cheapest, healthiest and most delicious food in the world, for sale by

feb 26 W. M. BROOKES, 106 Prince street.

SNOW WHITE LEAD.

Just received one ton of the above brand of

feb 11 COOK & CREIGHTON'S.

KEBLE'S CELEBRATED ARROW ROOT BISCUIT and JUMBLIES for sale by

feb 26 W. M. BROOKES, 106 Prince street.

SEA MOSS FARINA, the new preparation for the production of Blanc Mange, Gruel, &c., a supply just received and for sale by

feb 18 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

COX'S GELATINE, Preserved Ginger, Taylor's Bermuda Arrow Root, &c.

feb 21 G. W. RAMSAY, 147 King street.

FISH—Prime Cod and Hake Fish, Potomac and Labrador Herring, and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, at

feb 26 FRED. RECKER'S, 146 King street.

IRON FRAME HOSE—ALL NUMBERS.

Just received by

mh 4 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

MUSHROOM CRACKERS received this day and for sale at

feb 26 FRED. RECKER'S.

INSURANCE AGENCIES.

HOW OFTEN IS THE HOUSEHOLD lost buried with the household head, and family that might have been comfortably provided for, left destitute by the want of a proper foresight in his deceased protector?

THE VIRGINIA INSURANCE COMPANY, STAUNTON, VA.

Offers to every head of a family perfect security against this melancholy condition. It is for LIFE INSURANCE ONLY. Its charter is perpetual. Its Cash Capital \$125,000.

It is organized on the basis of the old Mutual Life of New York, and its successful experience.

The Premiums are paid in cash; its Dividends are paid in cash; its policies are paid in cash, without deductions.

There are no premium notes, and hence its assets are all cash, which presents the only solid, substantial basis of business for individuals or corporations.

IT INSURES ON ALL PROPER, SAFE TABLES.

IT PUTS NO IMPROPER RESTRICTIONS ON TRAVEL. IT INSURES UNIMPAIRED FEMALE LIVES.